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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TDY VISA OFFICER

REF: LAGOS 7867, STATE 196041

WE DID NOT LIGHTLY ASK THE DEPARTMENT TO ASSIST BY PROVIDING A TDY CONSULAR OFFICER. THE CHANCERY IS SERIOUSLY UNDERSTRENGTH AND CANNOT BE FURTHER STRIPPED TO MEET THE UNPRECEDENTED VISA RUSH THAT IS NOW UPON US. ALREADY WE MUST POSTPONE PROTECTION AND WELFARE TASKS THAT NORMALLY WOULD BE DEALT WITH URGENTLY . WE URGE THE DEPARTMENT TO RECONSIDER ITS REPLY. IN DOING SO, WE HOPE THAT RESPONSIBLE OFFICERS IN AF/W, SCA AND AF/EX WILL CONSULT EACH OTHER AND GIVE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION TO THE SENSITIVITY OF CONSULAR OPERATIONS IN NIGERIA. IT IS DIFFICULT TO ACCEPT THAT A CAREFUL CANVASSING OF THE DEPARTMENT'S PERSONNEL RESOURCES, ESPECIALLY IN THE JUNIOR OFFICER CATEGORY, WOULD NOT PRODUCE AN OFFICER FOR THIS PURPOSE.
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